## CITY OF BURLINGTON DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION AND PARKS

## **SEPTEMBER 2009**

## MEMO

TO: BASKETBALL COACHES

FROM: MARK CRYAN, JOHN RUDDY AND JESSICA HICKS

**RE: SEASON PLANS** 

Player registration for the 2009-10 season will begin on September 16 and end on October 14. <u>PLEASE READ</u> THIS MEMO CAREFULLY SO THAT YOU WILL BE AWARE OF THE PLANS FOR THE SEASON.

- All players will register at the Burlington Recreation and Parks Department on Overbrook Road or mail in the registration form.
- Our COACHES MEETING WILL BE HELD ON THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29, AT 6:30 P.M. AT THE JOHN ROBERT KERNODLE SENIOR ACTIVITIES CENTER (1535 S. MEBANE ST). We cannot over-emphasize the importance of this meeting. MARK THIS DATE NOW AS YOUR ATTENDANCE IS NECESSARY AND REQUIRED.
- 3) Please call us (222-5030) and let us know if you plan to coach this season, what league, and the number of teams you will have. We need this information by **OCTOBER 14.**
- 4) If you know of players who are registering for your team, please make a list and bring it to the athletic office as soon as possible. A child must be <u>5</u> years old by February 19, 2010 to be eligible to play.
- 5) Call your players and let them know it is time to register. Remember, it is critical that they register by **OCTOBER 14.**
- 6) Check your team roster (enclosed). If there is a player not listed, or a player listed who didn't play for you last season call us as soon as possible at 222-5030.
- 7) PRACTICE WILL BEGIN ON NOVEMBER 2 AND GAMES BEGIN THE WEEK OF DECEMBER 8TH.
- 8) Head coaches will have their child's registration fee waived for the season they are coaching. PLEASE REMEMBER TO REGISTER YOUR CHILD!!!
- 9) Registration fees are \$18.00 1<sup>st</sup> child, \$14.00 2<sup>nd</sup> child, \$12.00 3<sup>rd</sup> child for city residents and \$50.00 1<sup>st</sup> child, \$46.00 2<sup>nd</sup> child, \$44.00 3<sup>rd</sup> child for non-Burlington residents before October 14. The registration fee after October 14 will be \$25.00 for residents and \$70.00 for non-Burlington residents. Please inform all your players that anyone who signs up after **OCTOBER 14** will pay the late registration fee.
- 10) Coaches may come by the athletic office during the last week of registration to check on player signups.
- 11) Coach's Certification clinics will be held as follows: **(THESE ARE MANDATORY)** They are scheduled before the practice session begins so you will not have to miss any practices.

**BASKETBALL COACHES** 

\*\*MONDAY or TUESDAY, OCTOBER 12 OR 13

TIME: 6:00 P.M. \*\*NYSCA – <u>INTRODUCTORY TAPE</u> WILL BE SHOWN THIS WEEK

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\*\*MONDAY OR TUESDAY, OCTOBER 19 OR 20

TIME: 6:00 P.M. \*\*NYSCA – <u>BASKETBALL SKILLS TAPE</u> WILL BE SHOWN THIS

WEEK

ALL CLINICS WILL BE HELD AT THE FAIRCHILD COMMUNITY CENTER ON GRAHAM-HOPEDALE ROAD.

## THANK YOU!!

\*Coaches: Starting in 2008 Burlington Recreation wants all of our youth sports coaches to be certified thru NYSCA! If you have a computer & email address, you can complete the cerification from your own home/work! Please print your email address clearly on the team/coach registration form. Someone from NYCSA will be sending you the certification program by email.